

E. G. WALTON

May joys that dwell in merry hearts,
And the mirth of Christmas cheer—
Be yours for many a Christmas day
And many a bright New Year.

The pastor of a church at Wilkesbarre, Pa., after a collection in which more than 100 pennies appeared, announced that hereafter a person so poor that he can give no more than a penny needs it more than the church and ought to keep it. He further says that if his words are not heeded he will be compelled, disagreeable as it may be, to accompany the collectors and personally return all pennies placed in the basket. Seems to us the Wilkesbarre parson is out for "dough."

THE old theory that republicans hardly ever die and never resign has been exploded. Hon. Roscoe Conkling Tarter has resigned as cashier of the revenue office at Danville. Strange things happen these days.

MATRIMONIAL.

ightly clever young man. His bride is said to be exceedingly pretty and a very excellent lady. We join their friends in wishing them long and happy married lives.

Rev. E. L. Powell, D. D., of Louisville, announces his engagement to Dr. Anna M. D. Gordon. Mrs. Gordon is a highly accomplished woman. She was born in India, of English parents, and is a graduate of the University of Bombay and the University of Brussels. For a number of years Mrs. Gordon has been engaged in missionary work.

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Wm Gooch 20 acres
Ira Compton 2 acres
Thos Duncan 6 acres
W G Preston 2 acres

L. W. HUGHES,
Auditor's Agt. for Lincoln County, Ky.

Geo. D. Hopper, Stanford, Ky.

Two Things to Remember!

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Our Present for You

Substantial and useful suggestions in our store. This store is brimful of pretty Christmas tricks, Smoke Sets, Handkerchief Bags, Laundry Bags, Waste Paper Baskets, Sewing Baskets, Embroidery Baskets, Embroidery Sets, Pin Cushions, Hat Pin Holders, Stray Hair Holders, Match Scratchers, Mail Catchers, Bed Room Slippers, Fancy Suspenders and Hose Supporters, Boxes Knives, Handkerchiefs of all kinds, Silk Scarfs, Silk Petticoats, Pillow Tops and many other imported novelty goods. Shop early and avoid the rush and jam.

Is a discount of 20 per cent. on any Cloak, Suit, Skirt, Fur, Baby Cloak, Child's Cloak. This offer is on this season's very newest and best goods. The continued warm weather at the beginning of Winter has caused us to make this liberal offer. Come, let us show you. The saving of several dollars is certainly a substantial gift.

SEVERANCE & SON. STANFORD KY.

The Interior Journal.

STANFORD, KY., - DEC. 25, 1908

New assortment of local view post cards at Penny's Drug Store.
Some very special bargains in Box Paper, but the supply is limited. Ask to see them. Penny's Drug Store.

PERSONALS.

R. M. NEWLAND will spend Xmas in Louisville.
Miss MARY D. KENNEDY is with West End friends.
Mrs. LOUISE TATE is in Louisville with friends.
JAMES HALL, of Hustonville, is with Corbin friends.
EVERETT STONE, of Louisville, is up for the holidays.
EUGENE ORNDORFF, of Newark, O., was with friends here.
REV. A. A. HIGGINS is up from Glasgow with the homefolks.
A. T. NUNNELLEY made a business trip to Richmond Tuesday.
BEVERLEY ROUT is over from Lexington to spend Xmas at home.
Miss ANNIE D. McROBERTS spent several days with Lancaster relatives.
REV. J. H. PENCE and wife, of New Holland, Ill., are with relatives at Rowland.
Mrs. DENNY and Miss Belle Denny are with relatives in the Shelby City section.
Mr. IRA SCUDDER, of Richmond, spent several days with his son, R. S. Scudder.
REV. J. W. HAGIN and family, of Covington, are with the family of Mrs. J. F. Cash.
MR. AND MRS. J. E. JOHNSON, of Pittsburg, Pa., will spend Xmas with her parents here.
DAVID H. SKINNER came down from Stonega, Va., to spend Xmas with the homefolks at Hustonville.
Mrs. A. C. DUNN and Miss Mary Lee Dunn, of Crab Orchard, have been visiting friends in Richmond.
EDITOR M. D. HUGHES, of the Lancaster Record, was on Tuesday's train returning from Louisville.
Mrs. W. H. WEAREN is with Mrs. W. N. Craig at Middlesboro. The latter has several sick children.
Mrs. RICHARD COHN and daughters, of Boyle, attended the burial of Mr. Thomas Phelps at Richmond.
Mrs. W. J. EDMISTON and little son, of Crab Orchard, have gone to Auburn-dale, Fla., to spend the winter.
Miss MATTIE MAE ALVerson, of Richmond, is the attractive guest of her uncle, Hon. J. M. Alverson.
Miss CLARA COOPER, who is teaching at Scranton, Pa., was to have arrived last night to visit the homefolks.
G. S. TATE orders his paper changed from Dunville to Hustonville. He has moved to the Dave Johnson farm.
W. R. GOOD has moved back to the McKinney section from Pulaski, satisfied that Lincoln county beats them all.
Mr. J. L. CONWAY, of Wichita, Kansas, is spending the festive season with his son, Reid Conway, at Hustonville.
Messrs. W. M. BRIGHT, J. H. McAllister and R. C. Hocker attended the burial of Mr. Thomas Phelps at Richmond.
WALTER L. JONES orders his paper changed from Norton, Va., to Appalachia, that State, where he has a good position.
HARRY EICHENBERGER came over from Cincinnati to spend Xmas with the homefolks. He brought with him his friend, George Downer.
A. B. HUMBLE has been re-elected cashier of the Farmer's Bank of Seaman, O. He is a brother of Mrs. J. R. Powell and T. W. Humble, of this place.
L. J. PARRIGIN, who has been with the insurance firm of Mahony & Rankin, has returned to his home in Wayne county, much to the regret of many friends formed here.
The many friends here of Miss Maud Parsons were pleasantly surprised at the news of her marriage last Friday in Danville to Mr. J. C. Rodes, of Lincoln county.—Somerset Journal.
RICHARD WILLIAMS, who has been attending Central University, has returned. He will assume the business management of the Somerset Times the first of the year.—Somerset Journal.
Miss MARGARET WARREN is in Atlanta the guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. S. Elkin. She will meet her sisters, Misses Nell and Josephine Warren, who are teaching at Cave Springs, Ga., there.

LOCALS.

RINK Tuesday night.
SINGLETON'S for good candies.
FINE neckwear. Cummins & Wear-en.
OYSTERS, celery cranberries and fowl Thursday. Geo. H. Farris.
A GOOD buggy robe will make a nice Xmas present. J. C. McClary.
OUR mill will be closed on Christmas day only. J. H. Baughman & Co.
HATS are still going below cost while they last. Miss Ella May Saunders.
WE have on hand all kinds of fresh meats. See us. Wilkinson & Lutes.
OWL brand pure cotton seed meal. Car just arrived \$30 per ton. J. H. Baughman & Co.
THE iron bridge over Hanging Fork on the Hustonville pike has been put in place and is a daisy.
FOX Xmas presents of beauty and which will be a joy forever, see W. H. Mueller, the jeweler.
IN a lot sale at Paint Lick the other day ground in that thriving little city sold at the rate of \$52,000 per acre.
ROBERT HARMON OTTER, a prominent business man of Louisville, died Tuesday. He was a brother of Mr. J. H. Otter, of this place.
OLD BIBLE.—Mr. Levi Myers is the owner of perhaps the oldest Bible in the county. It belonged to his great-grandfather and is 236 years old.
POSTMASTER J. C. FLORENCE tells us that the postoffice will be open from 11 to 11:30 each Sunday morning, in order to distribute the mail brought here by the Southbound train.
OUR Christmas gift: The Daily State Journal for \$2.50 for one year to mail subscribers who pay cash. Think of it, a daily paper at about half a cent a day.—Kentucky State Journal. Frankfort.
THE I. J. man hopes to be at Lancaster court Monday next. See him if you have business of any nature with this paper. Especially are you requested to hunt him if your subscription is not paid up.
MR. W. M. DUDDERAR, who has made an excellent magistrate, announces for the nomination again. "Uncle Watt," as his friends call him, will make a strong race it matters not who runs against him.
DICK PIKE, who killed Joe Mize at Livingston, was tried at Mt. Vernon this week. The jury hung, standing nine for acquittal and three for two years. His bail was reduced from \$3,500 to \$2,000.
J. C. RINEHEART, formerly of this county, has sold his livery business at London to a man named McClure and has rented the Catching Hotel there. Lincoln county people should remember Mr. Rineheart when in Laurel's capital.
To all parties holding certificates of county claims: You are notified that the money is now in the county treasury to pay your claims and that you must therefore pay your taxes at once, otherwise I will have to add the penalty. T. J. Hill, S. L. C.
HELD.—Hugh Thompson, who killed Fred Garrison in Casey county, was held over to the circuit court in \$10,000. He was defended by Judge M. C. Saufley, of this place, and Stone & Stone. Mr. Thompson is very wealthy and had no trouble in giving bond.
HUNN & SWEENEY, general merchants of Shelby City, will do a cash business beginning Jan. 1. This will enable them to sell at much closer prices and they will be in better shape than ever to give you bargains. They thank you for past patronage and solicit a continuance.

TRY some of Singleton's 20c coal oil.
CLOTHES French cleaned. Cook & Farmer.
CHRISTMAS presents in profusion. W. H. Mueller.
CAR Liverpool salt arrived to-day. J. H. Baughman & Co.
TWO rooms over Tom Pence's store for rent. W. A. Tribble.
DON'T forget the rink at Walton's Opera House Tuesday night.
Go to James M. Phillips for fruits, candies, nuts, Xmas presents, etc.
FOR your Christmas fruits, candies, nuts, etc., call at T. D. Newland's.
XMAS candies that cannot be excelled in either price or quality at Hopper's.
HAVE you read about the South Bend watch? W. H. Mueller handles them.
SOLID silver spoons, forks, etc., in larger quantities than ever. W. H. Mueller.
OUR shipment of fruits and nuts has been opened up and the prices are right. Geo. D. Hopper.
THE Graded School closed for the holidays yesterday and will not resume operations until Monday, Jan. 1.
I WILL receive sealed bids for the surplus milk of the Stanford creamery till noon of Dec. 31st. H. J. McRoberts, sec'y.
THE directors of the Peoples Bank of Hustonville will meet Dec. 31st at their bank from 10 to 12 o'clock to elect officers for the ensuing year.
THE young ladies of Crab Orchard have issued invitations to a Leap Year hop to be given at Crab Orchard Springs on Wednesday, Dec. 30th.
K. OF P. MEETING.—The K. of P. Lodge will meet to-morrow night, Friday, instead of Thursday. Important degree work on hand. J. N. Menefee, C. C.
MR. LESLIE ANDERSON, a clever young democrat of the East End, announces for circuit clerk this issue. He will greatly appreciate anything said or done in his behalf.
We desire, in this inadequate way, to express our heartfelt thanks and gratitude to all who in any least way ministered to us or our dear boy in this great sorrow. Grady's father and mother.
NOTICE.—All those having claims against the estate of John F. Cash, deceased, will please present them to me at the First National Bank, Stanford, properly proven and verified, by Jan. 15, 1909. H. C. Baughman, administrator.
MR. A. C. SINE, deputy State Com-mander of the Maccabees, tells us that a check for \$3,000 came yesterday morning for Mrs. Beattie Hardin, amount of insurance carried by her husband, Mark Hardin, who died Dec. 5th.
SOME rascal threw a cannon firecracker against a big plate glass in Garland Singleton's store Wednesday night and a large hole was made in it. An effort will be made to find out the guilty party and he will be severely punished if caught.
THOSE good women of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Christian church made the editor of this paper a beautiful Christmas present of an angel's food cake, which is truly fit for the gods. He sincerely thanks them for their kind remembrance.
IN order that all hands and the "devil" may enjoy a little Xmas, no paper will be issued Tuesday but we hope to come out on time Friday, Jan. 1. The I. J. office will be closed today and to-morrow but will be open Monday, 28th, ready for business.
NEALS CREEK.—Rev. Barker failed to fill his appointment at this place on the second Sunday. James Hatcher is able to be out on crutches after being confined to his room for some time with a broken limb. Born to the wife of Ed Terry, a boy. Mrs. Jesse Manning and baby have gone to Oklahoma to visit relatives. Miss Dessie Harrington visited Mrs. W. F. Dishon Saturday and Sunday. Will Raines is on the sick list. Carroll Raines and Jeff Belden came over from Danville Sunday to visit the homefolks.

OUR Xmas China and other holiday goods must go this week. Now is your chance. Geo. D. Hopper.
FOR SALE OR RENT.—The Warner store-house on East Main Street. Apply at once to W. K. Warner.
LET me tell you of the 25 or more points of superiority of the sewing machine I handle. W. H. Mueller.
APPROPRIATE gifts: Ladies cuff kid gloves, fur top gloves. New stock of our famous \$1 and \$1.50 kid gloves. Severance & Son.
W. K. WARNER wants to see you about your plumbing, tinning and guttering, also country water works. Depot street, Stanford.
THE L. & N. will sell round-trip tickets to Winchester Dec. 29, 30 and 31, limited to Jan. 1, at \$2.45, account of the State Teachers' Meeting.
You had better be present at the rink Tuesday night if you expect to make your Christmas joys complete. Doors open at 7 o'clock. Come.
I HAVE bought Al Wallace's interest in the livery firm of Beazley & Wallace and also the books. Those owing the firm will please call and settle with me. G. G. Beazley.
FOR substantial Xmas presents call on Tribble & Pence. Beautiful mantel mirrors, pictures, library, parlor and dining tables, hall trees, etc. Big lot of tricycles for children.
In the Old Fiddlers Contest given by the Modern Woodmen at Moreland Alex Martin, of Rowland, was given first prize \$5, Norman Trine, of McKinney, second prize \$4, Tom Edwards, of Casey, third prize \$3, Natban Nailor, of Parksville, fourth prize \$2, Larkin Hicks, of Brodhead, fifth prize \$1.
The Supreme court of Missouri upheld the contents of the attorney general in the ouster suit of the State against the Waters-Pierce Oil Co., the Standard Oil Co., of Indiana, and the Republic Oil Co., of Ohio, fining each of the defendants \$50,000 and oustering them from the State. The court was unanimous in its opinion.
Clarence Klein, convicted in Fayette county on a charge of house-breaking and sentenced to the penitentiary for five years, was pardoned by Acting Gov. Cox.
FOR SALE!
25-horse power boiler and engine and saw mill for sale. Will sell either or both. CHAS. EXWELL, Otterholme, Ky. Postoffice, Waynesburg, Ky.
Stockholders' Meeting
A meeting of the stockholders of the Crab Orchard Banking Co., at Crab Orchard, will be held at their banking house the 1st Monday in January, 1909, for the purpose of electing directors and officers for the ensuing year. J. C. BAILEY, Cashier.
NOTICE.
Notice is hereby given that Alfred Bright will, at the regular January meeting of the Board of Prison Commissioners, of the State of Kentucky, make application to said board at Frankfort, Ky., for parole from the State penitentiary. ALFRED BRIGHT. By Bob Bright.
This Dec. 19, 1908.
Stockholders' Meeting
A meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Stanford will be held at their banking house the second Tuesday in January, 1909, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year. JOHN J. McROBERTS, Cashier.
Stockholders' Meeting
A meeting of the stockholders of the Lincoln County National Bank of Stanford will be held at their banking house the second Tuesday in January, 1909, for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year. W. M. BRIGHT, Cashier.
Stockholders' Meeting
A meeting of the stockholders of the National Bank of Hustonville will be held at their banking house in Hustonville the second Tuesday in January, 1909, between 9 and 12 A. M., for the purpose of electing directors to serve the ensuing year. J. W. HOCKER, Cashier.
PUBLIC SALE!
I will, on SATURDAY, DEC. 26, 1908, sell to the highest bidder some household and kitchen furniture; some farming implements; about 70 or 80 locust, wire fence posts; 1 good 1-horse sled; some horse hay; cover and timothy mixed; 1 good family mare; a lot of Buff Orpington and Plymouth Rock chickens; two-horse wagon, harness, &c., and other things not named. Terms made known on day of sale. Sale will begin at 1 o'clock P. M.
J. H. BRIGHT, Stanford, Ky.
Special line of Rugs, Druggets and Rockers for the Holiday Trade.
G. B. Pruitt, Moreland.

A Chance to Buy Xmas Presents at Your Own Price.

Extra specials in Women's and Children's Handkerchiefs. Where will you find the person with more handkerchiefs than they need? Where will you find a gift that is more certain to be appreciated by the recipient than a dainty box of handkerchiefs? We handle nothing but the best that money can buy. Our goods please the people. It is selected for our customers, meets their requirements and is its own sales force. We keep constantly on hand a fine line of Ladies' and Children's Shoes. We also carry the newest and best in Ladies' Dress Skirts, Petticoats, Underwear, Hosiery, Gloves, Umbrellas, Ribbons and little things often overlooked by other stores. Our prices are not only reasonable, but unusually low. Call and see us.

TRIBBLE & HUGHES, Dry Goods, Notions, Shoes. STANFORD, KENTUCKY.



Your Brother or Father would appreciate nothing more than he would a dozen of LION BRAND COLLARS and a nice NECKTIE for a XMAS present. We have so many pretty styles that you can come and select until your heart's content. A nice line of Cuff Buttons for 25 and 50c; Stick Pins from 25c to \$1.00; Watch Fobs 25c to \$1.00 and many other pretty presents.

SAM ROBINSON, STANFORD, KY.

Overcoats At Reduced Prices.

We are offering a Clean, Nice Stock of Overcoats at Greatly Reduced Prices. If you need an Overcoat we will certainly make it to your interest to see our goods and get our prices before buying.

W. E. Perkins, Crab Orchard.

